## State of Hawaii DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES Division of Aquatic Resources Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

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Board of Land and Natural Resources Honolulu, Hawaii

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF A SIX-MONTH NO COST EXTENSION FOR DLNR/UH
CONTRACT (NO. 52740) TO COMPLETE A PROJECT TITLED "LOCAL ACTION
STRATEGY TO ADDRESS LAND-BASED POLLUTION THREATS TO HAWAII'S CORAL
REEFS" (CONTRACT PERIOD: 9/15/05-9/30/08)

Submitted herewith for your consideration is a request to amend Contract No. 52740 between the Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR) and the University of Hawaii (UH). Supplemental Contract No. 3 will provide a six-month no cost extension for Contract No. 52740.

The project being conducted by the UH's Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Management (Principle Investigator Dr. Carl Evensen) provides the State with assistance in implementing and updating the local action strategy that addresses land-based pollution threats to Hawaii's coral reefs. Due to staff turnovers, additional time is necessary to complete the project. The scope of services and funding remain unchanged.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

"That the Board authorize the Chairperson to negotiate and, subject to necessary approvals, amend Contract No. 52740 between the Board of Land and Natural Resources and the University of Hawaii."

Respectfully submitted,

DAN POLHEMUS

APPROVED FOR SUBMITTAL:

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